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## Yale President Levin Delivers Convocation Address as UNH Celebrates 75th Anniversary



Associate Provost Brenda R. Williams shares a laugh as the 1995-96 Academic Year begins.

An anniversary is a special time... a time for gifts to celebrate the occasion, a time to reminisce with family, to renew and strengthen ties with friends and to ponder on the future. The Convocation, held on September 19, opened the 1995 academic year and celebrated UNH's 75th Diamond Anniversary in brilliant fashion.

### Welcome One and All!

Like a family party, guests came in from out of town to join in on the festivities that began on a bright, breezy autumn afternoon in Maxcy Quadrangle. Many close friends attended including Professor Moyer from Trinity College and Otha Brown representing the University of Connecticut.

First Selectman Dom Buonocore '65 of Branford, Roland Bixler, UNH Board of Governors Emeritus, representing Luftin College and Richard Hamilton, acting president of Charter Oak State College were also present for the celebration.

President DeNardis, assisted by Professor Caroline A. Dinegar, proudly presented the annual awards honoring faculty and staff. Anne Magee Dichele, assistant professor of education, received the Distinguished Teacher of the Year Award for 1995 as full-time faculty. Daniel Kane Maxwell and George Herbert Mack Jr. shared honors as co-adjunct Faculty of

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## Distinguished Bartels Fellow Defines Success as All In Your Mind

"Success is a state of mind. Take each job and be the best you can be in that job. That's how I ended up here." Advice given modestly by Raymond J. Margiano, 1994 Atlanta Small Business Person of the Year, and president of HeelQuik! Inc., one of the top franchises in the country.

It was standing room only in the Dodds Hall auditorium on October 26, for the Fall 1995 Distinguished Bartels Fellow and UNH alumnus, Ray Margiano. During a day-long visit to campus, Margiano visited undergraduate classes, lunched with the School of Business students, and held a round-table discussion with faculty on business topics. A meeting with the members of the Executive M.B.A. program followed the fellowship address entitled "Success: Today and Tomorrow."

Raymond Margiano was born and raised in nearby Derby, CT, and admits that "the last thing on my mind in high school was going to college." After several attempts at working in his father's business he decided he wanted something different for his future. He began attending UNH at night as a part-time

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## Annual Scholarship Ball is Big Birthday Bash

We're going to need a lot of hot air at this year's scholarship ball. We're celebrating our 75th birthday—that's a lot of candles to blow out. Join us in the Charger Gymnasium on Saturday, March 30, for this exciting evening.

"This year's scholarship ball is quite a momentous time for UNH," says Kris Story, '88, chair of the event. "We're actually celebrating a milestone in the history of this university. It's a rare opportunity to be a part of history in the

making." The party begins at 6:30 pm with open bar, hors d'oeuvres, and the silent auction.

Last year \$52,000 was raised to assist students with the cost of education through the silent auction.

"Our goal this year is \$55,000. You can help us reach it!" says Sister Pat Rooney. "Eight to the Bar will be back again, because everyone loves them," smiles Ms. Story. "They'll be playing favorite hits of

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## Ode to the University of New Haven on Its Seventy-Fifth Year

by Donald Milton Smith

Hail to thee, Alma Mater, on the seventy-fifth year

Of the University of New Haven!

As we pause to reflect upon our past, We recall those who came to this place before us—

The Native Americans who long ago held council here,

The colonists who fought the Battle of Milford Hill,

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## THE EDITOR'S INKWELL



Dear Alumni and Friends,

Wondering where we've been?... Well, the publication department got caught up in all the festivities surrounding our 75th Diamond Anniversary. We also bid some fond farewells and welcomed new faces to our department. With all the commotion, we decided to combine our fall and winter issues into one winter issue, jam-packed with UNH happenings.

All the usual fall events took on a special meaning as we reflected on our 75th anniversary. The 1995-96 Convocation took a nostalgic look back at the growth of New Haven College—from its start as a junior college with a few hundred students, to a fully accredited university with close to 6,000 students and 85 undergraduate and 30 graduate programs. There were several special events celebrating the 75th in festive fashion to which the photos and stories on the following pages will attest. All this looking back has prompted us to include a special Did You Know? section featuring some of the important but little known facts about UNH.

As we reflect on our past, it's not hard to figure out why we've come so far when you read the stories we've included in our

new In Focus section featuring UNH alumni, faculty, staff and students. Some of the stories include a UNH alumnus chosen as a Distinguished Bartels Fellow, a UNH educator winning the 1995 Connecticut Professor of the Year and a UNH admissions counselor going the extra mile to recruit new students. This is just a sample of all the accomplishments too numerous to mention here... you'll just have to turn the page to get all the news.

Speaking of news, Around Campus, Class Notes, Alumni and Sports are chock-full of happenings because of our combined fall and winter issue. We certainly couldn't leave anything or anybody out... instead we added a few extra pages. Speaking of adding extra pages, we have two new departments for all you photo journalists out there. One is Candid Campus, a photo essay of all the special people and happenings on campus, and the other is Reaching Out, which gives a clear picture of students helping those in need in and around our community.

So please enjoy this special edition, with all the snow we've been having lately it seems we all might need a little extra reading material to get us through the winter. See you after we dig out in the spring!

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## Did You Know?

### To 1927

The twelve males in the first graduating class stepped aside to allow the only woman in the class, Bella Cohen, to be the first graduate of the college.

### 1927-1940

In June, 1929, the last class of Northeastern's students in New Haven graduated and the final severance between the two institutions occurred.

### 1940-Present

In 1960 the college acquired its present campus through the purchase of the New Haven County Home for Children (now Maxcy Hall).

# 75 Alive!

More than 500 people attended the Gala 75th Anniversary Celebration at the University of New Haven on Saturday, October 14, 1995. The theme of the evening was "75 Alive."

The festivities began at 7 p.m. with a cocktail reception for alumni, friends, business and community leaders, and invited guests.

An elegant dinner followed the reception, with a brief program highlighting the history of UNH and the announcement of the two new residence halls. Special kudos honoring Dr. Henry C. Lee, the President's Award recipient, capped off the evening.

Two local special events managers — In Any Event and Parties of Distinction, collaborated on the decorations for the celebration. Elegant food for the evening was prepared by Brian Avena Catering, and Orchestra New England provided the wonderful dance music from the 20s to the 90s.



Lorraine Guidone, secretary to the president, with her husband John, Steve Briggs, dean of admissions, and his wife Debbie, and Jane Sangeloty, director of financial aid, with her husband Michael enjoy the elegant evening that was Gala 75.



Herb Pearce, left, chairperson for Gala 75, chats with the President's Award recipient, Dr. Henry C. Lee.



Sarah Miller-Brooks and her husband Ray Brooks.



Sister Pat, left, enjoys the festive evening with MarvLou DeNardis and Don C. Smith, UNH professor of communication, and his wife Barbara.



Doug Roberts, left, with Carol Cheney, president of Cheney & Company, and John Crane of WINH Channel 8.

# UNH INFOCUS

## Teaching Tolerance for Diversity Earns Goldberg 1995 Connecticut Professor of the Year



Dr. Steven Goldberg

It was a semester packed full of disturbing current events, perfect for exploring in a freshman business class... the Clarence Thomas/Anita Hill hearings, Magic Johnson's announcement on being HIV positive, and the Rodney King beating. The most disturbing event, according to Steven Goldberg, assistant professor of management at the University of New Haven, was the response from his students. Homophobic, sexist and racist remarks predominated the classroom discussion... an alarming behavior coming from the next generation of business professionals.

Shocked and angered, Dr. Goldberg vented his frustration to a colleague who also experienced the same problem in her classroom. "We couldn't graduate these students with this lack of tolerance for diversity... they'd be in for a rude

awakening in today's diversified workforce," he said. Deciding to instill a healthy respect for others, Dr. Goldberg developed and eventually added as a business program core course: "Management of Workforce Diversity."

It was this course that singled out Dr. Steven Goldberg by the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching as the 1995 Connecticut Professor of the Year. Every year colleges and universities throughout the U.S. nominate nearly 500 faculty members for this award. The Council for Advancement and Support of Education (CASE) established the awards program in 1981, and works in cooperation with the Carnegie Foundation and higher education associations in its administration.

Why is learning tolerance for diversity critical for business majors? As Dr. Goldberg explains, "Because teamwork is the big thing in the American workforce today. And numerous studies have proven that the more diverse a team, the more productive they are." All the more important given our slowly shrinking workforce.

Acknowledgment, empathy, tolerance and appreciation for diversity is the framework around which "Management of Workforce Diversity" is built. At first, students often struggle to acknowledge their own intolerance. Guest lecturers are

then invited to share personal experiences such as life in a wheelchair, or being a homosexual, and even a Vietnam Vet talking about Post Traumatic Stress Disorder. Ultimately these personal testimonies, along with introspective class projects, help to foster a tolerance for difference and, finally, an appreciation for diversity. Students learn to think with their hearts and minds, making them feel confident and empowered.

Although Dr. Goldberg is honored to receive the 1995 Connecticut Teacher of the Year Award, his biggest reward is seeing the changes in his students. "I see them when they first come in as freshman, after they take the course, and all the way through to graduation. It's definitely a positive change." Students, faculty, staff and administrators now understand and value the diverse contributions of individuals with differing backgrounds. Furthering his commitment to diversity on campus, Dr. Goldberg has served on several university task forces and committees to investigate multiculturalism on campus.

Relating his real-life experiences to subject matter is more a conviction than a career for Dr. Goldberg. When asked how he feels about what he does, Dr. Goldberg quotes Krista McAuliffe, our first teacher in space, tragically killed in the Challenger accident "I touch the future. I teach."

## Legacy Society Celebrates 1st Year

Charter members of the Legacy Society celebrated their first annual reception at the New Haven Country Club in November. The evening was a wonderfully warm family meeting.

The Legacy family members are: Allana R. and William R. Adams, Henry and Nancy Bartels, James Q. Benson, Roland and Margaret Bixler, Ross Bray, Norman I. and Marjorie Botwinik, Daniel Cosgrove, William S. DeMayo, Lawrence J. DeNardis, Isabella Dodds, Edward J. Drew, Edward J. Drew, Jr., Ornest T. Dubino, Frederick W. Farnsworth, Robert F. Fiscus, John A. Frey, Mary M. Hart, Robert Henrikson, Mildred Hull, Donald and Ruth Ibsen, Dean Thomas Johnson, Dean Jerry Kenig, Ira Kleinfeld, Nancy Kyger, Dr. Henry C. Lee, William T. Leete, Jr., Robert J. Lyons, Sr., Joel Marks, Linda R. Martin, Ellis C. Maxcy, Michael J. McHugh, M.L. McLaughlin, Alexander Nicholson, Jr., Russell Offenbach, Helen Pantuso, Herbert H. Pearce, Daniel Riccio, Jr., Frederic M. Richards, James A. Shattuck, Marjorie Talalay, Cheever Tyler, James W. Uebelacker, Ronald Urquhart, and Robert T. Wilson.

Your name could also be on this distinguished list. Please call Bill DeMayo, planned giving officer, at (203) 932-7130, and consider making a request and joining the Legacy Society.



Roland Bixler, founder of the Legacy Society, and his wife Margaret receive their Legacy pins from Nancy Kyger, director of development, and William S. DeMayo, planned giving officer.

# Tyrone C. Black Sings the Praises of UNH

Most likely as you're reading this, admissions counselor Tyrone C. Black is driving around somewhere in New York state, in a grey Buick Century, converting the Vivaldi "Gloria" into a gospel piece, heading for the nearest high school. "I hear the music in my head," he explains, "driving down the street. I'll have a sheet of paper and I'll just write down the simplest symbol, and that will help me remember, later, what the music is. Then I'll write it up."

Born the only child to a musical family, Tyrone finds composing music helps keep him energized and enthusiastic while on the road recruiting, for days at a time. "In my family, everyone sings," he smiles. "Everyone! I grew up singing up a storm."

And he still sings. He has his own choir of twenty voices with members from West Haven to Boston, and is leader of his church choir. And he is youth minister, preaching on Youth Sundays. He says working with the kids in his church adds a vital dimension to the work he does on the road for UNH.

"Being in the ministry has helped me understand kids. I have more compassion," he says. "I see how the kids I meet in high schools are a lot like the kids in church. Sometimes they'll give you as little as possible to see if they can get away with it. They're just seeing how much I'm going to ask of them. And just when they're tired, I ask for more, because I know they can give it."

"Just because they're young doesn't mean they don't have wisdom. Once you give these kids respect... oh my gosh," he lights up.

Tyrone came to UNH from Roger Williams College in Rhode Island where he worked as an admissions counselor for a year. A graduate of Westminster College with a bachelor's in English, he brings an



Admissions Counselor Tyrone C. Black

uplifting, empowering presence to a very crucial position at this university, and he gets to live closer to his family.

"I tell these kids, 'if you want one on one guidance, if you want a school where you'll get 50 percent classroom experience and 50 percent field work experience, if you're the type of student who can take the initiative, who can be held responsible for your actions, this is the place for you.'"

Part of Tyrone's job is telling these students what college life is all about. "I start off with the basics," he strategizes. "Then I'll just stop, and tell them to put a cartoon bubble above their heads and fill it with ideas of what they think college is like. Then I'll share with them my own experience."

"I always tell them, college is what you make it. If you want it to be boring, if you want to stay in your room, then that's what it will be. But if you get out, do things, get involved, college will be among the best years of your life."

"My biggest message to them is to keep a good balance. That's the key to success. Don't wait until you get to college to learn responsibility. Have that already in place. Learn how to deal with being broke, learn how to cook—the basics of life, the simple things. And I always tell them, 'Learn how to type! Don't pay someone to type your stuff—Learn!'"

"Then these students are pretty much all set. They're gung ho!" And no wonder. Tyrone has the ability to make even the most even-keeled among us get excited about life and all its wonders,

including the college experience.

"I try to approach everything in a light manner," he advises. "And I try not to let things get to me. I figure, if I stress out about something, and it kills me, I'm gone, and that which I stressed out about is still here."

Apparently, his philosophy works—in life, and on the job. His desk is piled with thank you letters from high school guidance counselors, telling how he helped their students and what an impression he made on them, and his heart is filled with the rewards of his work.

"Well, we have a saying in our church," Tyrone states quietly.

"Let your life be your greatest testimony. It's about making a difference; it's so rewarding to hear from the schools I visit. Especially if I feel I didn't really touch anyone. I always tell people, 'Don't think just because you're talking to someone directly, you're not touching someone on the side. Somebody is always listening.' I think—if I can just help somebody, just help a kid."

What kind of students are coming to UNH? "They're positive, they're assertive, they're wise. They're eager. And they're very vocal," he surmises carefully, with evident admiration.

"To gain a student is to always remember them," he explains. "I remember their names, where they're from, what their major is, and that will just blow them away," he laughs, impishly.

## Message to the University Community:

My sincere thanks to each of you for your thoughtful gifts, cards and notes of encouragement during my illness. Your friendship and kindness will never be forgotten.

Again, my sincere thanks!

Donald R. Scott

# SCOOP ON SCHOLARSHIPS

## UNH Announces Teacher Appreciation Scholarship

In celebration of the university's 75th anniversary, the School of Arts and Sciences introduces an annual four-year scholarship (of \$3,000) to the child of a Greater New Haven teacher (K-12). The recipient must major in a discipline within Arts and Sciences.

The scholarship may be used for tuition payment only. Interested students must first qualify for a "no-hassle" scholarship (1/2 tuition) and then apply for the A&S scholarship. Academic requirements for continuation of the scholarship are the same as those for the "no hassle" scholarship. The recipient will be chosen by representatives of the A&S faculty.

## Pilot Pen Scholarships Established for 1995 and 1996

As an expression of appreciation for being honored as the Fall 1994 Distinguished Bartels Fellow, Ronald Shaw, president of Pilot Pen Corporation, announced that Pilot Pen is sponsoring four scholarships.

The university will receive \$2,500 each for two scholarships that have been awarded for 1995, and two more are scheduled to be awarded in 1996. A reception was held recently to award the 1995 Pilot Pen scholarship recipients Mark LaVigne and AnnMarie Ciesielski.

Mark LaVigne is majoring in criminal justice and plans to graduate in 1997. Mark works full-time for HELP, Inc. a residential facility for people with mental illness.

AnnMarie Ciesielski is a dietetics major planning to graduate in 1997. Prior to enrolling at UNH, AnnMarie worked full-time in the nutritional services

department at New Britain General Hospital. While attending classes at UNH she continues to work part-time at the hospital.



Ron Shaw and President DeNardis congratulate Pilot Pen scholarship recipients Mark LaVigne and AnnMarie Ciesielski.



*"Putting a Face with a Name." A scholarship luncheon this fall allowed recipients of scholarships to meet with donors. Left, student Garth Collins and Associate Provost Brenda R. Williams, dine with donors Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kane, who established a scholarship in honor of their son, Paul, an alumnus killed in a plane crash.*



*You now have the unique opportunity to purchase a hard-bound coffee table book published in tribute to our university, marking our 75th Diamond Anniversary. Compelling text, by University Historian Joseph B. Chapaitis, Ph.D., former dean of the School of Arts and Sciences, and rich photographs combine to make this book a work of art. To order, call 1-800-433-0090. Cost is \$34.95, plus \$4.95 to cover shipping and handling.*

*Pictured near left, Dr. Tara L'Heureux, past president of the Greater New Haven Personnel Association, (GNHPA), hands Sherri A. Davidson a \$500 scholarship, at the annual business meeting at 500 Blake Street Cafe on June 13, 1995.*

*Ms. Davidson is a student in the master's industrial/organizational psychology program. She is active in the Graduate Student Council and the Student Chapter of the Society for Human Resource Management. She hails from Olympia, Washington.*

*The GNHPA is a human resource affiliate of the Society for Human Management. The association awards the scholarship each year to a student who has shown excellence in the study of human resources and work behavior.*

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Those who tilled the soil of West Farms,  
Those who developed industry and  
business,  
Those later immigrants who settled in  
Allington  
And pursued the American dream.  
Was your spirit here all along?  
Did you foresee that among the orphaned  
children  
Who found shelter inside the brick walls  
and  
Under the slate roof of the New Haven  
County Home—  
Those who biked or sledded or ran or slid

***"Thank you all here  
assembled...  
here remembered...  
You are UNH."***

down the rolling slopes—

Did you foresee some would grow up to  
study and work here?

Did you know that the tiny branch of  
Northeastern and the YMCA

Would move from the nurture of Yale's  
ivied halls

To these then empty corridors echoing  
The laughter and cries of the forgotten  
children?

And we here today, do we remember our  
days, years,  
Decades at UNH or New Haven College?  
I do.

I remember the mid-sixties campus,  
Its main building, gatehouse, new student  
center,

The dust of the dirt parking lots,  
The beautiful vista of the distant harbor.  
But more clearly I still remember the  
voices—

Of John Martin building a new home over  
the telephone

On the other side of the semi-partitioned  
office I shared

With fellow novice Bruce French on the  
third floor of the old library,

Of Serban Popovici sweet-talking his lady  
friends on another extension,

My ear still rings with the ebullience of  
switchboard operator Vi Shusky's  
"New Haven College" and her saying "Hi,  
Daddy" to me

Minutes after I heard over that phone that I  
was to become one.

I still tremble at the stentorian boom of the  
speech teacher Evelyn Casey

Accusing the drafters of our proposed  
faculty constitution

Of trying to railroad us!

Followed later by the meticulous drone of  
Robert Larson

Quoting from that document as he  
presided over the Faculty Senate

And the blunt New Yorkese of Bert Ross

Questioning the Board of Faculty Welfare's  
bread-and-butter issues.

I remember nervously attending  
my first English Department meeting,  
As we began to develop New  
Haven College's initial Bachelor of Arts  
degree—

Sydney Goluboff welcoming me  
with a glad hand,

My mentor from North Carolina  
Bob Howling winking at me not to be  
so uptight,

Steve Bennett, our chairman and  
the college's only academic dean,

Calling for order as Nat Kaplan,  
Miss Casey, Jerry Ellison,

Ralph Marcarelli, and Bert Mathieu  
positioned themselves for debate.

Then there was the trial by fire of  
walking through the door of Room 103

To face an incendiary mass of  
people around my own age

And try to teach Humanities II, that  
mystifying required course

That aspired to pass on the glories  
of Western culture,

To teach people how to think and  
search for answers to the Big Questions.

How could a scared 24-year-old  
from New Jersey,

Hiding behind a gray sharkskin suit,  
black-rimmed glasses and

A master's degree from Columbia  
University, summon the courage

To cross that mine field to the  
professor's podium,

Let alone find a voice to introduce a  
course

Whose vagueness baffled and  
intimidated him?

The memory fades—but the  
answer to the question

Is really plain and simple.

Like all of us who have studied,  
worked, taught,

Or played here, I learned.

Slowly and steadily I mastered the  
grammar rules,

Read Erasmus, Cellini, and Goethe,  
Graded the foothill of a thirty-year

mountain of student essays,

And gradually I changed from an  
overly serious young prig

To become a seasoned professor;  
From a kid bored to death at the

Faculty Senate Meetings  
In the student center, saved from sleep  
only by the strains

Of the Shirelles from the jukebox  
downstairs;

To become the senate's secretary of  
twenty years;

From the inexperienced youth  
shrinking in silence

Among the incredibly well-read and  
articulate English faculty

To become the department's chair.

Mine was the perseverance, yours the  
nurture,

And ours the bounty of all the col-  
leagues and friends

Who moved on or died but left in  
memory a garden of names,

Among the many rows of which one  
reads

Don Ormrod, Sam Baker, Commander  
Byard, Helen Rothfuss,

Peggy Buck, Kay Allard, Olga Griffith,  
Virginia and Larry Parker,

Mr. Peterson, Edna Paul, Allen  
Hutchinson, Lou Silbert,

Bill Nyce, Ramona Beeken, Jay

Rosenthal, George Schaefer,

Catherine Ramshaw, John Goreyeb...

And the names of thousands of eager,  
dull, exuberant,

Morose, brilliant, and beloved students.  
Thank you all here assembled, here

remembered,

Here forgotten, and here in years to  
come

For being the University of New  
Haven—

A haven of thought, inquiry, industry,  
Practicality, intellect, confidence,

Fear, sadness, joy and remembrance.  
You are UNH!

19 September 1995

Maxcy Quadrangle



Donald Milton Smith recites the ode.

## Candid campus



Hoist the flags to welcome more countries joining the UNH student population! The Flag Raising Ceremony officially displays the flags of countries that are represented by two or more students attending UNH. With the increase of international students at UNH the flag raising ceremony is fast becoming an annual event. A few of this year's additions, Russia, Botswana, United Arab Emirates and Germany are now among over 50 flags that are on display in the UNH Student Center.



Shayne Asbury, above, took the skills she developed as a student in the department of communications and marketing, to CNN, where she served as an intern last summer.



David Beckerman, left, founder, CEO, and chairman of the board of Starter Corporation, teaches Professor Alan Sack's sports management class about trademark licensing and merchandising. Mr. Beckerman, a 1963 UNH graduate, was named the first executive-in-residence in the university's School of Business, for the 1995-96 school year. He returns in the spring semester to teach marketing and promotions in Joseph Machnik's class on public relations in the sports industry. Was he a hit with the students? "Every time I came back to my dorm room from class, everyone asked me 'What did Beckerman say today?'" laughs Matt Neal, a student in Professor Sack's class.

High school teachers from all over the state drove from their jobs in the hustle-bustle of the modern world, to the UNH Student Center, where they stepped into the lounge, and back in time. Suddenly they were in a place where story telling was at its best, at the hands of the master tale-weaver himself—Mark Twain. Old time-fiddle music set the scene effectively as they prepared themselves for an afternoon adventure.

UNH Professor Dr. David E.E. Sloane didn't disappoint anyone. Dressed in his Twain Clothes—a long black jacket and top hat, he proved adept at the banjo, and led the group in a sing-along of the state song, Yankee Doodle, to open the show. This broke the ice effectively. After a brief reading of some controversial Twain writings in a genuine old New England drawl, everyone settled in for some inspiring lessons on teaching Twain.





# UNH Reaching Out

In October, the dental hygiene department participated in a children's health fair to celebrate Yale-New Haven Hospital's Project Fit America, a cardiovascular health and fitness program for the Vincent E. Mauro students. Five students from the department presented an exhibit on children's hygiene.

"Cari-Mae Pulvirenti, Gina Michaels, Renee Homick, Julie Targowski and Beth Bureau were outstanding representatives of UNH," complemented Phyllis K. Medvedow, the director of community and government relations for Yale-New Haven. "Their knowledge and ability to hold the kids captive while sharing valuable information was very impressive. The kids loved them! Jean Maloney is to be commended on her coordination of the project."



UNH junior Bragi Smith of Iceland reads "Going Home" to the delight of the two children beside him.

On a perfect fall afternoon, instead of playing Frisbee or just enjoying the warm sunshine, five UNH students were in the primary care center of Yale-New Haven Hospital, reading stories to young patients about Barney, Carl the dog, and a little brown bear.

"We're an international group," said Sarit Britton, a senior from Canada who works as a resident adviser (RA) for the university. She points to the other students, and names Iceland, Thailand, Japan, and Long Island as their homes. "That makes it really nice for the children," she smiled.

"This has been great," said Regina Graham, the child life assistant in the hospital. "When we started we had books available, but the children weren't picking them up that much. Now that we have regular story hours, the children are really into reading. We don't know who has more fun, the volunteers, or the children," she smiled.

**Following is a letter sent to our football team after a visit to the Connecticut Children's Medical Center on an October Sunday.**

Dear Tony,

I would like to thank you and the football team for visiting with the children at C.H.I.P.S. It was evident by the bright smiles on the children's faces that they had a great time meeting the players and running the drills. I found great pleasure in stepping aside to watch the heartfelt interactions and special moments that developed between the children and the team members.

It has been over a week, and I find myself still in wonder watching the true gifts of your visit unfold. Each day I see the children throwing "winning touchdowns" around the room in their UNH football t-shirts. They need to be told to take them off long enough to get them washed.

They cherish the autographs and pictures they were given. When I walked into one girl's room, she was sitting on her bed looking at the picture of herself and a team member. She eagerly showed it to me and said, "This is worth a million dollars to me!"

The true gifts of your visit weren't the shirts, or the balls, or the pictures that were left behind, but the memories that remained. The time, caring, and kindness shown by you and the team made the children feel SPECIAL. For that, I thank you.

Sincerely,

Karen Kamankdy, CRTS, and Mary Ellen Welker, CRTS



UNH Dental Hygiene students Sharon Beaumont, top of photo, and Dana Andess show children in the primary care center at Yale-New Haven Hospital how to take care of their teeth. "We concentrate on early intervention," says Jody Bishop-Pullen, RDH, dental hygiene instructor. "This is great because we can show kids how to brush properly, and reinforce that for Mom."

UNH's three-year program brings students into area hospitals, schools, senior centers, and nursing homes, where they teach residents of all ages the importance of proper oral hygiene care.

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the Year Award for 1995. The award for the Outstanding Staff Member of 1995 went to Tish Bingham, a 10-year veteran of graduate admissions. Connie DiCello, with 15 years in the part-time student division, received the Outstanding Service Employee Award.

The third annual Freshman Experience Awards were presented by Donald C. Smith, director of the freshman experience, to faculty member, Richard J. Farrell, professor of English, and staff recipient Linda Carlone, assistant director of admissions. Freshman students nominate the staff and faculty members for this award.

### The Anniversary Gift

In honor of the 75th anniversary, a collar of authority was presented to President DeNardis on behalf of the Alumni Association. Steven Klemenz, president of the Alumni Association explained the President's Collar represents a "visible sign of the university's commitment to truth, justice and wisdom in the pursuit of knowledge. It will remain a lasting symbol of commitment of alumni to our Alma Mater."

### Reminiscing

UNH's "poet laureate" English professor, Donald Milton Smith, recited "Ode to the University of New Haven on its Seventy-Fifth Year," a stirring tribute he wrote for those who have been a part of "the days, years, decades at UNH or New Haven College." (See inset for complete ode on pages 1 and 7.)

Ralf Carriuolo, professor of visual and performing arts reminisced with the audience on his arrival at the

university thirty years ago and his first impression of "Harvard on the Hill". At that time the UNH campus consisted of three buildings: the "main building", the gate house, — and the "Liberty."

### Renewing Friendships

Delivering the convocation address was Richard C. Levin, the 23rd president of Yale University. President Levin described Yale and UNH as close relatives, not because Yale men were involved in UNH's foundation, offering classroom buildings, supplying distinguished members of the liberal arts faculty, helping UNH locate to its present site, or even because we are close neighbors. "We are close relatives because, despite our many differences, we have a common mission: the education of young people to serve this region, the nation and the world," he said. He went on to explain that UNH and Yale are "obverse sides of a coin"—Yale on one side with a central liberal arts program, and on the other, UNH's focus on career preparation. The focus may be different, but each school aims to nurture citizens who are educated and productive.

President Levin spoke on the resource constrained environment in the U.S. today which has reduced the contributions to undergraduate education. "From my perspective, it is easy to be envious of how well the University of New Haven is placed to deal with these kinds of issues! From its inception your institution has been cost conscious, and had its mission clearly focused and defined," he praised. He agreed with President DeNardis' vision to continue growth of adaptable career-oriented classes. These characteristics that UNH possess are those that

President Levin admits "Yale either wishes to or must acquire."

Wishing UNH continued success he voiced pride in what UNH, has achieved, in our special mission to the greater New Haven community and beyond.

### A Look Ahead

Closing the ceremony was assistant provost Brenda R. Williams, presenting the class banner for 1999 and offering a peek of higher education in the 21st century. She profiled a typical college student with her "computerized" notebook. With this 21st century notebook the student can e-mail messages, convert scribbled classroom notes instantly to readable text, or replay a video of that day's lecture. The notebook can even access a library across the world. Dr. Williams advised us to be prepared for a time when "technology will be used to enhance both teaching and learning and knowledge will be constructed collaboratively in learning groups, gathered from hyper media databases all over the world and shared on a global scale."

Accepting the class banner were two students from the class of 1999. Dr. Caroline Dinegar then formally concluded the convocation which was, for this anniversary year, a cut above the rest.

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student. Eventually, Margiano was accepted in a scholarship program that enabled him to attend UNH full-time.

Even in his first job after graduation, Ray Margiano knew he would be in his own business someday. Climbing steadily up the management ladder in several companies, it wasn't until a move into the field of mergers and acquisitions that the opportunity presented itself. He researched a retail acquisition for his employer—a quality, speedy shoe repair located in mall settings. Management wasn't interested so Margiano decided to go off on his own and start HeelQuik!, Inc.

Margiano emphasized his stores are not in the shoe repair business, they are in the service of extending the life of footwear. In a little over ten years, his idea grew to generate 84 million dollars in sales, with 650 operations in 20 countries.

Despite his success, Ray Margiano claims "I didn't know what I wanted to be in high school or college. I still don't. But I'm doing a lot of different things and I'm enjoying it." He emphasized you must keep changing and growing. Make a road map of where you want to be in 2 to 3 years and reward yourself for reaching your goal. "If you try as hard as you can, you'll be successful."



A large crowd of UNH's family and friends assembled for the 75th Convocation.

# Celebration 75

Walking into the Student Center for *Celebration 75* was a magical experience. It seemed transformed into an elaborate movie set.

First, the entry hallway. Dramatic black drapes fell across the walls, on which were displayed photographs of campus life throughout the history of the university. All crowded round to enjoy these rare glimpses—and remember some wild fashion trends.



The dining hall was turned into a scrumptious feast that had something for every craving, including an ice cream sundae bar.

Let's take an immediate left into what was once known as the Sports Spot. This room, done in black and white, brought you into a New York City cabaret, where sweet sounds were heard coming from a practiced pianist and a melodic mezzo-soprano. Inside, you sat at round tables covered in black and decorated with a single white votive candle and a floating gardenia. Now that's class.

Hungry? Take your appetite down to the dining room. Far out! This was beautiful man, peace signs, poodle skirts and pink roadsters. Hip hop and bobby

*Everyone enjoyed some laughs as they studied photographs that dated back to the 20s.*



Thanks to Singer Travel and Royal Caribbean Cruise Lines, student Jeffrey F. Dreher won a free cruise! He'll be taking his new bride.



socks. Care for a plate of pasta? Roast beef? Ice cream sundae (make your own)? Whatever your craving, you could satisfy it that evening.

A diet like that calls for lots of exercise, and the upstairs lounge was where to find it. A flashing light show and the hottest tunes of the 80s and 90s set the stage for UNH's own Hard Rock Cafe. Even President and Mrs. DeNardis were seen boogieing to the beat.

What could top an evening like that? How about winning a free cruise? That's exactly what UNH student, Jeffrey F. Dreher did, courtesy of Singer Travel and Caribbean Cruise Lines. As a matter of fact, this will be his honeymoon trip.

Take a look below at just some of the happenings at *Celebration 75*.

*President DeNardis enjoyed the dancing in the upper lounge which was turned into UNH's own Hard Rock Cafe.*



UNH students, faculty, and staff know how to have a good time!



# A ROUND CAMPUS

*This information was written by the staff of the Marketing and Public Relations Office.*

## President's Office

Lawrence J. DeNardis, president of the University of New Haven, was named a 1995 Free Enterprise Hall of Fame Laureate, by Junior Achievement of Southern Connecticut. Individuals are given this honor by making outstanding contributions to improving the products, technology, processes, human relations, or corporate social responsibility of the business community. They demonstrate integrity, leadership, initiative and success, and exemplify a role model for the area's youth. President DeNardis was inducted at a ceremonial dinner in November.

## Provost's Office

Dr. James W. Uebelacker, vice president for academic affairs and provost, was appointed to the Advisory Committee on Accreditation (ACA) of the Board of Governors for Higher Education. His appointment is effective September 1995 to August 1998. The committee aids in assessing the quality of proposed and existing programs, and institutions of higher learning in Connecticut. Alternate for the university on the committee is Ira Kleinfeld, assistant provost for external affairs.

Dr. Uebelacker was also appointed by the governor to the Department of Higher Education's Student Financial Aid Information Council. The council will seek to improve financial aid awareness and policies, increase resources, and coordinate aid delivery.

## Marketing & Public Relations

Mimi R. Houston has joined UNH as production manager for public relations and marketing. She has a B.A. in journalism, and over 10 years of experience in the field. She comes to us from the Greater New Haven Chamber of Commerce, where she served as graphic designer. She is a contributing writer for the monthly newsletter of the New Haven Arts Council.

Lucy Twarkins has joined the public relations staff as a copywriter. Lucy comes to UNH with a writing and production background in corporate and agency environments. Last year, she wrote and co-produced a 30 minute documentary on depression recently aired on several cable access stations. She is enrolled in the I/O Psychology graduate program, and volunteers part-time for a newly formed therapeutic horseback riding program in Bethany.

## School of Arts & Sciences

Dr. Nancy E. Carriuolo has been appointed acting dean of the School of Arts and Sciences for the 1995-96 academic year. She has been a professor of English at the university since 1987, and has served as assistant provost. She has a Ph.D. from the State University of New York at Buffalo, and has served as director of the Office of School/College Relations for the New England Association of Schools and Colleges. She was president of the National Association for Developmental Educators, and currently serves as a trustee of the Stewart B. McKinney Foundation.

Robert D. Dugan, professor of psychology, has published a review of a new book entitled, "Working Together: The New Rules and Realities for Managing Men and Women at Work," by Andrea P. Baridon and David R. Eyler. The review appears in the summer 1995 issue of the book review section of *Personnel Psychology*. Terilyn M. Elibero, a research associate at Dugan Unlimited in New Haven collaborated with Dr. Dugan on the review.

Robert Glen, professor of history, has published an article entitled "Anatomy of a Religious Revival: The Stockport Methodists in the 1790s," in the *Manchester Region History Review* (UK). In November, he delivered a public lecture on "English Women in Eighteenth Century Satiric Prints" at Western Connecticut State University. He has also been selected as program chair for the Middle Atlantic Conference on British Studies.

Jeffrey Greene, associate professor of English, has a new poem appearing in *Harvard Magazine*.

Michael Morris, professor of psychology, delivered a paper entitled "Linking Social-Problem Models to Needs Assessment Methodology in the Teaching of Evaluation," at the annual meeting of the American Evaluation Association in Vancouver, British Columbia in November.

The Arts and Entertainment Network sent a documentary film crew to interview Dr. David Sloane, professor of English, on Thomas A. Edison, his great-grandfather, in July. Dr. Sloane's book, *Edison's Daughter*, is almost at the writing stage. The filming was for an hour-long documentary on Thomas Edison, shown on the A&E Network in October, in

connection with the anniversary of the invention of the electric lightbulb.

In addition, Dr. Sloane has been named to the board of directors of the Mark Twain House. His term began this past summer. He has been a member of the Twain Memorial's Education Committee for over a year, and joins the board as a specialist in Twain studies. He is also on the board of the APT Foundation. He is past president of the Mark Twain Circle, and the American Humor Studies Association. Among his six books, five deal with Mark Twain and American humor.

Dr. Sloane recently took part in a week long seminar on teaching Twain's "Adventures of Huckleberry Finn," at the Mark Twain House. The presentations were taped, and will be aired in the near future. He was also interviewed, along with Debra Petke, director of education for the Mark Twain House, on WFSB-TV.

## Department of Theatre Arts

Carol Penney, adjunct professor of theatre, was accepted as a fellow of the 1995 Yale-New Haven Teachers Institute. The institute is an educational partnership between Yale University and New Haven public schools, designed to strengthen teaching and learning. Fellows prepare a curriculum unit to be taught the following year, and published in the *Proceedings of the Institute*. This is the second year Ms. Penney was accepted. She was also a fellow in the film and literature seminar.

## School of Education

Pam Clinkenbeard, associate professor of education (psychological foundations), recently published an article with Robert J. Sternberg of Yale University, "The Triarchic Model Applied to Identifying, Teaching, and Assessing Gifted Children" in the *Roper Review*. She is a member of the board of directors of the National Association for Gifted Children.

Anne M. Dichele, assistant professor of education (language arts), has been invited to speak on "Implementing Classroom Innovations," at the National Council of Teachers of English Conference in Boston, spring 1996. In August, she conducted a workshop on "Improving Reading Comprehension: Learning to Apply Strategies," for the Orange, CT public school system.

Paulette Pepin, assistant professor of education, (social studies education) has had a chapter accepted for a book of

readings on Spanish medieval history. "The Council of Penafiel 1302: The Castilian Bishop's Reassertion of their Liberatas Ecclesiastica" will be published in a volume honoring Dr. Joseph F. O'Callaghan, retired professor of medieval history at Fordham University.

**Louise M. Soares**, director of education programs, arranged for a satellite instruction module as part of a teacher intern training this past August. Interns were able to interact with experienced teachers in Arizona. In October, she attended a related workshop on cutting edge technology in education in New Orleans.

## School of Business

**Linda R. Martin** has been named as dean of the School of Business. Dr. Martin comes to UNH from the Barney School of Business and Public Administration at the University of Hartford, where she served as associate professor of economics, director of accreditation, and associate dean.

Dr. Martin earned her Ph.D. in economics from the University of South Carolina College of Business Administration, and a B.A. in mathematics from Regis College. Her research interests are in the economics of women and the implementation of new technology. She has published a variety of articles in the *Monthly Labor Review*, *Small Business and Economics*, *Quarterly Journal of Business and Economics*, *Regional Science Perspective*, and the *Journal of Applied Business Research*. Her teaching specialties include statistics, managerial economics, and the economics of women.

**Martha Woodruff**, associate professor of economics, has been named associate dean of the business school. In October, she attended the Northeast Conference on Business Administration annual conference in Old Saybrook, Connecticut.

**Steve Shapiro**, associate professor of economics, has become chair of the department of economics and finance.

**Linda Martin**, dean, and **Martha Woodruff**, associate dean, along with School of Business professors **Charles Coleman**, **Ben Judd**, **Omid Nodoushani**, and **Bob Wnek**, attended the American Assembly of Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB) Symposium in Philadelphia in October.

School faculty participated in a one day workshop at the University of New Haven in November to identify components of a mission statement in preparation for business school accreditation candidacy.

Dean **Linda Martin** presented a paper entitled "Distance Learning: An Emerging Trend that Can't Be Ignored," at the Northeast Business and Economic Conference, in Hyannis, MA in September. She also attended a women in management conference in Stamford in October.

**Dr. John J. Phelan**, associate professor of economics, is on a leave of absence for the academic year of 1995-96 to serve in Governor Rowland's administration. He has been appointed chief of staff of the Department of Consumer Protection by Commissioner Mark A. Shiffrian. In the past, Dr. Phelan served as special assistant to the secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services in Washington D.C. and was a senior economist at the Federal Trade Commission prior to that. He will continue to teach economics this year, on a part-time basis.

## School of Engineering & Applied Science

**Dr. Alex Sommers**, professor of industrial engineering, is on a partial leave of absence this fall to serve as interim president of the Newton-New Haven Company, one of New England's largest die casters. He will lead a major re-engineering of the company in order to make it a world class manufacturer, and to keep it in New Haven. Dr. Sommers was a former provost of the university.

**Ismael I. Orabi**, professor of mechanical engineering, presented a paper addressing the development of a new model for joint-dominated space structures at the Fifteenth Biennial ASME Conference on Mechanical Vibration and Noise, in September, in Boston. This work is sponsored by the Yankee Ingenuity Initiative Grant from Connecticut Innovations, Inc., and by the Hamilton Standard of United Technologies.

**Elizabeth (Liz) Papineau** has been appointed to assistant to the dean for recruitment and retention. She will be responsible for the existing outreach programs, coordinate and focus the activities of the school that seek to attract new students as well as retain current students in the program. She holds a B.S. in electrical systems technology from Central Connecticut State University and is working on her master's degree in organizational management. She was a technical writer at Bridgeport Machines.

**David Wall**, chair of the department of civil and environmental engineering, has been appointed to the Committee on Curricula and Accreditation of the American Society of Civil Engineers. The committee is responsible for the development of programs and policies for the promotion and advancement of civil engineering education. His term runs through July 31, 1999.

## School of Public Safety and Professional Studies

**Dr. Lynn Monahan** has rejoined the criminal justice faculty on a full-time basis. She will coordinate the CJ program in southeastern Connecticut, and work with a

new undergraduate concentration in juvenile and family justice. The program is the only one of its kind in Connecticut and integrates studies in psychology, law, and criminal justice, to prepare students for careers working with children and families within the justice system.

**Mario Gaboury**, director of the Center for the Study of Crime Victims' Rights, Remedies and Resources, was interviewed on "Dialogue 80," of WLAD (AM Radio 80) in Danbury, CT, in November. The focus of the interview was the psychological trauma experienced by victims, and crime victims' rights and services, in Connecticut and the nation.

**Dr. Steven D. Goldberg**, assistant professor of management, has been selected as the 1995 Connecticut Professor of the Year by the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching. He was selected from nearly 550 faculty members nominated by colleges and universities throughout the country.

## Graduate School

**Jerry Allen** has been appointed dean of the graduate school. Dr. Allen has been with the university for six years, the last as acting dean of the School of Business. Previously, he was professor and chair of the department of communications at the University of Bridgeport for 18 years. He was a professor of communications at many other institutions, including West Virginia University, Southern Illinois University, and the University of St. Louis.

Dr. Allen is the current First Vice President Elect-Select of the Eastern Communications Association. He is also the editor of *Communication Research Reports*, a top journal of the industry. He has presented over one hundred convention papers at regional, national and international conferences, and has published dozens of articles, books, and study guides.

## Board of Governors

President DeNardis is pleased to announce three new members to the Board of Governors. They are:

**Charlotte G. Denenberg**, vice president, Network Technology, and chief technology officer for Southern New England Telephone Company in New Haven, **Samuel S. Bergami, Jr.**, president of the Alinabal Group of Companies in Milford, and, **Carroll W. Brewster**, executive director, The Hole in the Wall Gang Fund, in New Haven.



# SPORTS

## Football Team Enjoys Bid To NCAA Playoffs

Before every season, teams come together to set goals for the upcoming year. Some hope for a .500 record, others wish for a national championship. The University of New Haven football program set only one goal when it first met back in August—to return to the NCAA Division II playoffs. At 2:37 p.m., November 12, 1995 that goal was realized when the NCAA Division II football committee named the Chargers as one of 16 teams in the 1995 championship playoffs. New Haven finished the regular season with a number five national ranking and a number two rating in the Northeast region, thanks to total team effort.

While the offense experienced great success, the defense and special teams played an equal role in the team's 9-0-1 regular season record. New Haven won its first round game with a come-from-behind 27-12 victory over Edinboro before being eliminated in the national quarterfinals by Ferris State, with a 17-9 score.

The special teams blocked seven kicks during the regular season, five punts, an extra point attempt and a field goal try. Defensively, New Haven terrorized the opposition with its

relentless pass attack, bone-jarring hits and stifling defense against the rush. The Chargers were ranked among the top ten all season in rushing defense, reaching as high as eighth with an 83.8 average. The defense allowed just two rushing touchdowns all season, and did not yield a score on the ground in the final five games of the year. Linebacker Scott Riggs paced the defense with a team-high 107 total tackles while fellow linebackers Shane McNeeley (93 stops) and Brian Oliver (68 tackles) were also among the team leaders.

The Chargers averaged 31.1 points per game, tallying 20 or more points in every game and 30 or more points in five contests. Jesse Showarda, taking over the quarterback duties, enjoyed a solid season, completing 214 of 360 pass attempts for 2,327 yards and 22 touchdowns. Running back Ron Jenkins rushed for better than 100 yards in four of the final five regular season games, gaining 666 yards in those five contests, surpassing the century mark in both NCAA playoff games. Receiver Bobby Barnette caught a team-high 64 passes for 636 yards and four touchdowns while Joe Sporkin grabbed a team-high six TDs during the regular season.



Running Back Ron Jenkins rushed for more than 100 yards in six of his last seven games, helping the team reach the NCAA playoffs and finish unbeaten for the regular season.

## Men's Soccer Challenges Collegiate Conference Elite

When Head Coach Tom Poitras took over the New Haven soccer program, he knew it would take a while to bring his players into the fold and comprise a team that would challenge the New England Collegiate Conference elite. After all, the NECC boasted five nationally-ranked teams this year, including the 1995 national champion.

However, Poitras didn't expect such a quick turnaround—his team posted seven wins after a three-win season in his first year as head coach. New Haven finished the year with a 7-9-2 overall record and was just a goal or two away from a winning season.

The addition of newcomer Ulrik Moberg was instrumental in the team's new-found success, scoring a team-high 13 goals with six assists for 32 points. A native of Copenhagen, Denmark, Moberg caught the eyes of all the region coaches as they voted the sophomore to several post-season honors including the All-New England Collegiate Conference second team. He tallied four game-winning games and was the team's leading scorer in conference play.

Josh Faris, a freshman goalkeeper from Oregon, and Joe Oakes, a junior midfielder, also played pivotal roles in the 1995 season. Faris stepped into the starting role despite being a rookie and quickly earned his teammates respect by posting wins in three of his four outings.

Faris finished the year with six shutouts and a 1.79 goals against average, making 145 saves in 18 games. Oakes was the perfect compliment to Moberg, tallying six goals and seven assists for 19 points. His seven assists represented a team-high.

The team played the second half of the season without Tony Cartiera, leading scorer in each of the last two seasons. He finished the campaign with five goals and one assist for 11 points.

# Volleyball Team Ends With Elite Eight Appearance

The 1995 season could be a lesson in University of New Haven volleyball history. The Chargers forced fans back to the school's record book several times, finishing the year with a 41-3 record, an NCAA Division II quarterfinal appearance, and an All-America player.

The team's 41 wins marks only the third time in its 20-year history with 40 plus wins in a season. Jane Grant, a junior middle hitter, became the fourth Charger to earn All-American status when she received a berth on the American Volleyball Coaches Association's All-America second team.

Grant established school career records during the '95 campaign, most notably for career kills (1,384), service aces (283), block assists (310) and total blocks (458). She led the team in several statistical categories this year. Teammate Shirley Hoyte enjoyed a solid season as well, leading the team with 467 digs and placing second in kills and

total blocks. Both Hoyte and Grant earned All-Northeast Region honors from the AVCA.

Probably one of the biggest surprises came from freshman setter Erica Corstange. The Michigan native stepped right into the starting lineup and paced the Chargers offense from the first match. She finished the year with 1,364 assists, the third best single season total in school history. The freshman earned four New England Collegiate Conference Rookie of the Week awards during the regular season, and was a member of the All-NECC first team.

The Chargers captured six tournament titles during the regular season and lost just one game to a Division II opponent. New Haven posted 34 three-game sweeps during the season including a sweep of Dowling College in the NCAA Northeast Regional championship match.

# Women's Soccer Team Enjoys Best Season Ever

It didn't take Head Coach Joe Machnik long to bring the women's soccer team to national prominence. In just the third year of varsity competition, Machnik and his Chargers broke into the national Top 25 poll, reaching as high as 19th, for the first time ever as the team finished the regular season with a 12-4-2 overall record and a 5-3 NECC slate.

The four losses can be deceiving when you consider that three of them were to teams ranked higher than the Chargers in the national poll including two-time defending national champion Franklin Pierce College. The team posted four straight wins twice during the season and had a six-game unbeaten streak toward the end of the year.

Machnik watched his team develop early in the season, enjoying the benefit of playing together over the last two years. Shannon Tosney, Mireille DeRose and Tara Meagher became three of the top offensive players in the region, combining for 36 goals and 90 points during the 18-game season. Tosney finished the year with a school record 16 goals and a school standard 36 points. DeRose placed second with 33 points (14 goals, five assists) followed by Meagher's career-best 21 points (six goals, nine assists).

Beth Bailey and Candice Morgan handled the goal keeping duties this year with Bailey posting a 1.23 goals against average in 16 games and Morgan registering a 2.40 goals against average in 10 appearances. Bailey earned two shutouts during the regular season and combined with Morgan for another shutout.

New Haven defeated several regional rivals during the regular season including wins over nationally-ranked teams such as Quinnipiac (2-1) and Keene State (3-1). The schedule also included wins over regionally ranked opponents like Bentley College and Le Moyne College.

Sheila Ringbloom puts her all into each game. She received All-Region honors as a defender in the '95 season.





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the 40s, 50s and 60s. The food will be wonderful, and the decorations will amaze everyone. This is an event not to be missed!"

Reservations (\$75 per person) to attend the ball can be made through the UNH alumni office by calling (203) 932-7270. If you would like to set up a table with special friends, or want to locate a former classmate, please contact Palma Pagoda '69, at (203) 367-3661. Ms. Pagoda will also be taking reservations for corporate tables.

Following tradition, we will honor this year's Distinguished Alumni at the Scholarship Ball. The 1996 honorees are: Steven D. Goldberg, Ph.D. EMBA '87, Alexander W. Nicholson, Jr. '65, EMBA '78, Elaine Pagliaro, MS '81, and Douglas Schumann, BS '69.

### Meet Our Honorees:

#### Steven D. Goldberg

Dr. Goldberg is an assistant professor of management at the University of New Haven. He earned his business administration degree in the master's program at the university in 1986. He holds a bachelor's degree from New Hampshire College in human service administration.

In his professional life, Dr. Goldberg has served in a series of management positions, beginning with the Carter Wallace Corp., a health and beauty products manufacturer, where he earned the position of sales manager. In 1970, for a nine year period, he founded his own business called the C.D.J. Corp., a distributor of personal consumer goods. After selling that business, he joined Shop Rite Supermarkets, where he rose to executive vice president and chief executive officer before leaving to found his second corporation, Expressive Services, an international marketer of horticulture and gift foods.

A life long student, while working full-time, Dr. Goldberg pursued his master's degree at UNH, and began work on a doctoral degree in organizational theory and development from the University of Massachusetts at Amherst. He is currently a full-time faculty member here at UNH, as well as director of the Small Business Institute located on campus.

Dr. Goldberg has served on numerous committees, including the university judicial committee, the Center for Family Business, and was a Special Olympics World Summer Games volunteer.

He is currently an advisor to two student organizations; Chi Kappa Rho sorority and the university newspaper, the Charger Bulletin. He has published numerous articles and reviews, and has received awards for the best unpublished

research paper, from the Family Firm Institute.

Most recently, Dr. Goldberg was named 1995 Connecticut Professor of the Year, a prestigious award granted by the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching. Dr. Goldberg lives in West Hartford with his wife and teenage children.

#### Alexander Nicholson, Jr.

Mr. Nicholson is the founder and owner of The Wilbur Cross Commons Office Park, and has been involved in ownership of the CT Insurance Group, the Nicholson Insurance Agency, and Cheshire Insurance, Inc.

While an undergraduate at the university, he was Scholar/Athlete of the Year in 1965. He served in the U.S. Army from 1957 to 1960. He was named to the Athletic Hall of Fame for the university in 1979.

He has served as a member of the Alumni Council, rising to presidency from 1982-84. Since 1983, he has been a member of the board of governors.

Virtually all of Mr. Nicholson's adult life has been in connection with UNH, where he has chaired numerous volunteer committees, including most recently, the greening of UNH, a campaign for the beautification of the campus. As a university supporter he has tremendous enthusiasm, ability and loyalty. He says of the university, "I owe a special debt of gratitude to the University of New Haven for giving me an opportunity that has affected the rest of my life."

An avid golfer, he belongs to numerous golf clubs, both in Connecticut and in southwest Florida. He lives in Connecticut with his wife Karen. The couple and their adult children also enjoy a home in Bonita Springs, FL.

#### Elaine M. Pagliaro

Elaine serves a senior criminalist/supervising criminalist at the Connecticut State Police Forensic Science Laboratory and sets an outstanding example for young women who seek a non-traditional career. She is dedicated to the search of truth which will benefit society in a very direct way. Her work helps to insure that crimes are efficiently solved and the right people are brought to justice.

Ms. Pagliaro has won many outstanding awards, both for her written work and for her career service. In 1993 she received the Distinguished Alumnae Award from St. Joseph College in West Hartford. She was also honored by the New Haven Rape Crisis Center, with its community service award. Professionally she is a member of several associations for the advancement of science. She serves as a member of the American Board of

Criminalistics.

She is a sought after lecturer in the field of forensic science, and is the author of scores of articles and papers which have been published for professional meetings.

Her community service is also outstanding. A resident of Wallingford, she is a member of Wallingford Community Chorus and is the concert master. She is a member of the Church of the Resurrection adult choir, and she offers service to the Wallingford Shelter as a volunteer. She also finds time to serve high schools and other educational programs in lecture series, particularly around career options.

#### Douglas D. Schumann

Mr. Schumann is the founder and president of P-Q Controls of Bristol, CT. He has developed a company which manufactures joy stick controls for mining equipment and front end loaders, as well as a variety of other types of heavy construction equipment. Marion Controls, Caterpillar and Komatsu are companies which use the products he developed. His company has two plants and employs close to 100 people.

His interest in the University of New Haven was reactivated when his son David became a student in the late 1980s and graduated in 1990.

As a result of Mr. Schumann's loyalty to the university and gratitude for what the university had done for him, he established a scholarship in engineering which is offered annually to a student who exemplifies ability, industry, and resourcefulness. In addition to his affiliation to the university, he serves as a member of the Bradley Memorial Hospital board of directors. He has served on the board of directors of Wentworth Institute in Massachusetts, and is a member of the building committee for the YMCA in Southington.

His family includes, his wife Noreen and adult children. They have homes in Connecticut and Florida.



*If you would  
like to attend the  
Scholarship Ball, please  
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# Homecoming

Over 200 alumni and guests attended the Diamond Jubilee Homecoming, making it the most successful in the recent history of the university. After coffee hour and a tour of the campus, everyone gathered for the Diamond Jubilee Homecoming Tree planting ceremony. The Homecoming Tree was the first to be planted, and begins what is now a university tradition, marking the place where the future celebrations will begin.

Soon after, the infamous tailgate parties began in the North Campus parking lot. Partyers were seen from afar

as they joined the Alumni Parade and marched to Dodds Stadium, where they gathered to watch the Chargers meet the Abilene Christian Wildcats on the field.

Afterward at the Alumni Reception in the Charger Gymnasium, everyone enjoyed the sweet taste of victory, and scrumptious goodies of a catered buffet.

"This is truly a celebration to always remember," smiled Carolyn Bell, '87, chair of the Diamond Jubilee Homecoming. "This is the largest attendance we've ever had. I've heard from so many people, all day long, saying what a great time they're having. It's a celebration of the many memories and life-long friendships UNH gives us all."



Nikki Evanko, class of 2016, gets a taste of Homecoming with mom, Ann Hogan Evanko, '93.



The UNH Chargers met Abilene Christian University for a Homecoming Game.



President Lawrence J. DeNardis prepares to plant the first ever annual Homecoming Tree, marking a new tradition at the university. Looking on, to the right, is Steve Klemenz, '78, president of the alumni board, and Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Greenhouse '33.



Bill Flynn, of the Alumni Association, confiscates roast beef sandwiches from Abilene Christian's tent, while Bill Leete, vice president of student affairs, serves up hot New England clam chowder. The exchange was an attempt to "civilize the Texans," laughed Mr. Flynn. Sister Pat, director of alumni affairs, standing next to Bill Flynn, seems to be supervising the whole affair.



Everyone was fed well at the post game reception in the Charger Gymnasium. Patricia Nowicki, '65, right, was possibly getting ideas for next year's Homecoming; she's the chair!



Crowds showed support for the UNH Chargers in record numbers. Over 200 alumni and guests cheered the team on.

## Class Notes

1970

**Richard H. Gesseck** of Cheshire was recently selected treasurer for the Connecticut Society of Certified Public Accountants for the 1995-96 fiscal year. Richard is a partner in the Hartford office of Ernst and Young.



Richard H. Gesseck

partnership forms DiBlasi Aschettino, PC, located in Monroe, CT. Raffaele was formerly employed with Spiegel, Zamecnik & Shah, of New Haven.

**Jeffrey A. Garewski**, a sergeant with the West Hartford Police Department, recently graduated from the FBI National Academy, 181st Session, in Quantico, VA. He lives with his wife, Andrea, and their three children.

1982

**John J. Armstrong** was recently appointed by Governor John Rowland to serve as commissioner for the Department of Corrections for the State of Connecticut.

**Mary Jayne Miller** of Milford was recently appointed by the Connecticut Society of Certified Public Accountants as the chair of its Accounting Principles/Auditing Standards Committee for the 1995-96 fiscal year. She is the owner of the Milford firm of Mary Jayne Miller, CPA. She is an adjunct professor for Gateway Community Technical College in New Haven, and Housatonic Community Technical College in Bridgeport.

**Steven O'Donnell**, Rhode Island State Police Corporal, was honored by the National Association of Police Organizations as one of the nation's "Top Cops" for 1995.

1983

**Glenn House** has been promoted to vice president, general manager of the IC & Mixed-Signal Design Division of Mentor Graphics Corporation. He joined Mentor Graphics in 1990 and has more than 20 years of design and management experience in high technology. He lives in West Linn, OR.



Glenn House

**Arthur T. Nielsen**, PE, executive vice president with Erdman, Anthony, Associates, Inc. has been named to the national board of directors of Design Professionals Risk Control Group. Arthur joined Erdman, Anthony in 1990 and is chief operating officer for its Mechanicsburg, PA-based subsidiary.

1986

**Paul Caiafa**, co-founder and tax partner of Solakian, Caiafa & Co. was recently an

honoree of the Forty under 40 Award for his professional achievement and community involvement. He serves on the board of directors for Notre Dame High School, the south-central, Connecticut chapter of Alzheimer's Association, Inc., and is involved in many other organizations.

Edward M.

**Goldberg** was a Gold Award Winner for consistent, committed volunteer work by Northeast Utilities. He was cited for his strong commitment to young people as demonstrated by volunteerism after logging hundreds of hours of volunteer work in the last year alone.



Edward M. Goldberg

**Lindy Messmer Kwasowski**, an art teacher with the Berlin Continuing Education, program recently held an art exhibit at the YWCA in New Britain featuring original watercolor and photographic compositions by the artist. Lindy is an active member of the Connecticut Valley Calligraphers Guild. She lives with her husband and young son in New Britain, CT.

1987

**Steven D. Goldberg** has been honored as 1995 Connecticut Professor of the Year. He recognizes the increasing diversity of the American work-force and aims to instill a healthy respect for others in his students. He has designed, implemented and teaches Management of Workforce Diversity, which has helped students, faculty, staff and administrators understand and value the diverse multiculturalism of the UNH campus where he is assistant professor of management.

1989

**Robert L. MacDonald** has been named chief financial officer by Bic Corp. of its French-based parent, Societe Bic. He joined Bic in 1990 as controller of North American operations and rose to vice president of finance and treasurer. He resides with his wife and two sons in Guilford, CT.

**Thomas C. Reynolds** of Gales Ferry was recently elected to the board of education in Ledyard, CT. He was also promoted to associate secretary of the college at Connecticut College. Tom is also on the alumni board at UNH.

1972

**Richard M. Hannon** of Hamden was appointed treasurer of the Police Commissioners Association of Connecticut. He is the retired executive director of Connecticut's Municipal Police Training Council.

1973

**James Galbraith** has retired from the Philadelphia Police Department after 18 years of service. As a former UNH baseball player, he is still playing baseball in a senior league and is enjoying spending time with his two children.

1974

**John R. Savary** is presently self-employed as a real estate broker and notary in Monterey, CA. He was recognized in the past five years as Realtor of the Year and is a past president of the Association of Realtors. He is active in several veteran and community organizations, was past commander and is current treasurer of the Military Order of the World Wars.

1975

**Jerry D. McKinney** of Bozeman, MT received his doctorate in adult, higher and community education at M.S.U. in May 1995. After teaching briefly at M.S.U. for the summer, he accepted a position at Sault Ste. Marie, MI, that began in September.

1977

**Gerard E. Egan** of Norwich was elected for a four year term as high sheriff for New London County.

1978

**Jose E. Rodriguez** of Meriden graduated from the University of Connecticut School of Social Work with a M.S.W. in May 1995.

1981

**Raffaele Aschettino** has joined the structural engineering firm previously known as DiBlasi Associates. The new

1991

**Jennifer Casper** who was a producer at CNN for four years, is now producing a new late night talk show for Lifetime Television. The show, "Late Date with Shari," debuted October 16.

1994

**Christopher S. Cahill** was recently appointed by the Saint Paul Department of Fire and Safety Services to be its first fire protection engineer. Chris will be the city's consultant for all architects, developers, and contractors. He resides with his wife Susan in Cottage Grove, MN.

**Mary J. Kuhn** has been named director, manufacturing of Bayer Pharmaceutical Division North America. She is a pharmacy graduate of Purdue University and lives in North Haven, CT with her husband.



*Mary Kuhn*

Navy Seaman **Christopher D. Lynch** recently reported for duty aboard the destroyer U.S.S. Hewitt, forward deployed to Yokosuka, Japan.

## Marriages

William Ginna, Jr. '74 to Colleen P. Cadden

Ronald L. Cox '83 to Nancy M. Gesuele

Thomas S. Makuch '83 to Darlene J. Ravagnini

Andreas Neophytos Sophroniou '86 to Christine M. Barracca

Dennis L. Bushor '89 to Lori J. Lee

Shelly Toporowski '89 to James Morosky

Timothy F. Gallogly '90 to Jean C. Corcoran

James J. Lowrey, Jr. '90 to Daniela M. Nicolita

Paula C. Biestek '91 to Gregory Fanucci

Robert E. Doscher '91 to Lori Ann Garbus

Julie Anne Fleming '91 to Joseph S. Palermo III

Christopher A. Heidtman '91 to Kimberly A. Lawrence

Sophanak Nhim '91 to Kirk E. Scott

Philip A. Ruenhorst '91 to Eileen M. Shuster

Kathleen L. Brady '92 to John K. Ricci

Thomas W. Constantino, Jr. '92 to Kim M. Ryan

Todd L. Edgecomb '92 to Catherine J. Burns

Michael Melody '92 to Elke Gomringer

Cynthia O'Brien '92 to David Lange

Hope V. Stratton '92 to Lance J. Goodridge

Thomas P. Trainor '92 to Sarah Fleisher

Lise M. Paquette '93 to John J. DeBella

Albert R. Fabrizi '94 to Laura J. Perry

J. Patrick Hill, Jr. '94 to Penny L. Syria

Clifford D. Marano, '94 to Barbara A. Staskauskas

Margo A. Myers '94 to Brett C. Armstrong

Robert A. Wharton, III '94 to Debra Blinn

Dahlia Wedderburn '94 to Sean Grace

Clark S. Woodruff, '94 to Kristine A. Harris

Chimera J. Moody '95 to Kenneth C. O'Connor

Kelley A. McDevitt '95 to Stephen H. Hooker

## New Arrivals

1978

Robert M. Lee and wife Linda, Old Saybrook, daughter - Nora, November 8, 1995.

1984

Michael A. Ambrosecchio and wife Janet, Stamford, daughter - Nicole Rose, October 4, 1995.

1985

Paul R. Burke and wife Terrie Capalbo-Burke, Corning, NY, daughter, Kaitlin Capalbo, May 31, 1995.

1988

Alissa L. Mendes and husband Jeff Mendes, Derwood, MD, daughter, Sydney Nora, January, 1995.

Thaddeus Walewski and wife, of Shelton, daughter - Sara Rose, June 22, 1995.

## Deaths

John E. Sunblade '23

Salvatore J. Guzzio '33

Donald H. Ackley '49

William N. Pantalone '50

Paul Fappiano, Jr. '52

William F. Curtiss '53

Richard A. DeRoy '53

Donald D. Lake '64

Thomas P. Hogan '67

Thomas C. Barger, Sr. '68

James P. Kupstas '70

Garrett B. Riley '72

Thomas L. Riccio '73

William J. Klem '74

Roger W. Kimmel '72

Gary M. Kamuda '78

John M. Ruffner '79

Vern Salwan '81

Wendell Gobel '84

Bradley D. Johnson '85

Edward M. Patkis '85

Frances S. Koslowski '86

## Alumni Club News

Southeastern Alumni Club was a joint sponsor of the annual Christmas party at Seamen's Inn in Mystic for the holiday season.

A shoreline reception was held on November 29 with the intention of sparking some interest in establishing a shoreline club. Anyone living in Westbrook, Clinton, Madison, Guilford or Branford is urged to become involved by contacting Ed Drew, BS '75, MS '76, club coordinator, at (203) 499-2279.

The EMBA Alumni Club sponsored a lecture given by Langdon Bell on December 21. The topic was international economy and his experiences as a consultant in eastern Europe.

The Southwest Florida Alumni Club hosted a reception on January 9. Bob Crowley, BS '71, was in charge of arrangements, Al Nicholson, Jr., BS '65 hosted.



John J. Kelly adds his remarks to a question from the floor. Also enjoying the humorous moment are Henry C. Lee and William M. Norton.

"Police in a Free Society: Ethics in Policing," was the last Ethics in the Workplace symposium, held on November 15, 1995. Kenneth M. Kirschner, commissioner of the CT Dept. of Public Safety, Kenneth Cruz, police chief of Guilford, CT, John R. Williams, an attorney in New Haven, and John J. Kelly, an attorney in Orange, were the panelists. Henry C. Lee, director and chief criminalist at the CT State Police Forensic Science Laboratory, and William M. Norton, professor and chairman of UNH's criminal justice program offered commentaries that evening. Philosophy professor Joel Marks provided introductory remarks. Audience members participated in an open mike session with panelists, providing a peek into the future of the criminal justice system.

The symposia are invigorating, informational, and open to the UNH community and beyond. Joel Marks, along with Neal Gersony, professor of management, and William M. Norton, professor of criminal justice, comprise the UNH faculty steering committee, which produces the symposia.

The next symposium will be: "Ethics in the Campus Workplace: The Nature of the University," and will be held on April 24.

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